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Applicant elects Group I, claims 1-27 without traverse.

Requested Claim Amendments

The Office Action requested amendment of the term "a multi-wheel drive vehicle," because any vehicle with more than one wheel meets this claim limitation and is therefore allegedly open ended. Applicant respectfully submits that the claim term "a multi-wheel drive vehicle" is definite.

The remainder of the requested amendments to claims 1, 4, 10, and 19 have been made.

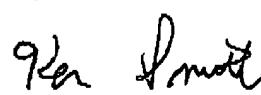
Claims 28 and 29 are withdrawn.

Conclusion

Based on the foregoing amendments and remarks, Applicant believes that all of the pending claims in this case are now in a condition for allowance. If the Examiner believes that additional discussions or information might advance the prosecution of this case, the Examiner should feel free to contact the undersigned at the telephone number indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

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